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PETER PAN IS COMING

"The Little Boy Who Wouldn't Grow Up" is Played by Betty Bronson, Chosen by Barrie Himself for Paramount Picture—Comes March 27-28

"Who are you, Pan?"
"I am Youth, Eternal Youth!"
"I am the Sun rising, I am Poet's Singing."
I am the New World. I am a little bird
That has broken out of the egg!
I am Joy! Joy! Joy!"

Such is the spirit of Sir James M. Barrie's famous play, "Peter Pan," which will be shown at the College Auditorium on Friday and Saturday nights, March 27 and 28. There will also be a matinee showing of the picture on Saturday. Admission to the matinee will be 15 cents for children under twelve and 25 cents for adults; for evening showing it will be 25 cents for students and 35 cents for the general public. Tickets may be secured at the door. Reserved seats at same price may be secured at "Kuchi Bros."

"Peter Pan," a Paramount picture, produced by Herbert Brenon with a fine all-star cast, is one of the most charming classics of the stage, one of the most delightful fantasies ever screened. Betty Bronson, who plays the title role, was selected for the part by Barrie himself. Beauty is one of the outstanding characteristics of this production. The groupings, the settings, the costumes, the lighting effects, the unusual pictorial results, combine to make "Peter Pan" one of the most elaborate and charming pictures ever filmed. A synopsis of the story follows:

"Peter Pan, the Little Boy Who Wouldn't Grow Up!" Because his mother told him that one day he would grow up and be President, "Peter Pan" ran away from home the day he was born.

In the Never-Never Land, where Peter went, he became captain of the Little Lost Boys who fell out of their perambulators when the nurses were not looking.

On the night when Sir James M. Barrie's beautiful story opens, things go forward in the nursery of the Darling family very much as on other nights. Wendy, John and Michael are tucked away to sleep and Mr. and Mrs. Darling go off to a neighbor's for dinner.

While the three children are sleeping, each in a tumbled pile of bedding, the night lights, left by Mrs. Darling to guard her little ones, mysteriously flicker and go out. The fire-light grows dim upon the floor and suddenly a face appears outside the window.

It is Peter Pan, the "Little Boy Who Wouldn't Grow Up!" He slips into the room, a saucy, nervous little imp who flutters from one place to another and hides at the slightest movement from the three children in the beds. Finally Wendy wakes and speaks to him. In the brief time that children take to become acquainted, the two are on excellent terms. Peter tells Wendy he can teach her to fly and promises to take her away with him to Never Land where she can be a mother to the Little Lost Boys.

Delighted, Wendy rouses John and Michael and after some lessons which bring painful falls, the children sail through the window. Mrs. Darling, coming into the nursery, finds the easement open and sees the forms of the four children circle the church steeple and then grow smaller as they fly away among the stars.

The adventures which befall them in the Never Never Land with pirates, fairies, and Indians are all according to the romantic dreams of children. Finally Peter and the children fly back to the Darling home where Mrs. Darling is overjoyed to receive them. She tries to induce Peter to remain with her but he refuses to stay and grow up, preferring to remain a boy and have fun. She promises to let her children go, once a year, to visit Peter in the Never Never Land.

TO CALL ATTENTION!
All persons expecting the Committee on Recommendations to recommend them for positions for 1925-26 should call or write and have their cards transferred to the 1925-26 file. If you have taught since you filed, write us for blanks to be sent to these places so that your file will be complete. Also give us any other information that will assist us in making recommendation for which you are prepared.

Committee on Recommendation: H. T. Phillips, Chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Kutschinski to be Here

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kutschinski, of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, will arrive in Maryville the latter part of this week for a short visit with friends. Mr. Kutschinski was formerly head of the violin department of the college conservatory of music. He will go from here to Kansas City where he will attend the National Music Supervisors' Convention. Mrs. Kutschinski will divide her time between her Maryville friends and her relatives at Claremont, Oklahoma.

"K," as he is more familiarly known, has accepted the invitation of Mr. Larson to play a violin solo at the morning service of the First Methodist Church on Sunday, March 29. He will play the "Romance" from the "Second Concerto in D Minor" by Wieniawski.

Cubs Win Four out of Nine Games.

The "Cub" Basket Ball team coached by "Pete" Jones, ended the 1925 season by winning four out of nine games. Most of the team were freshmen and a better future can easily be predicted for them.

Davis, Davison, Baldwin, forwards; D. Beam, B. Beam, center; Pollard, Masters, Hood, Prather, guard; made up the team this year.

A few of the players were used in the breakaway games, and will probably be strong next year.

Summary of Games

Cubs 18, Maryville H. S. 14.

Cubs 15, Pickering 21.

Cubs 20, Palmer College 28.

Cubs 22, Sheridan A. C. 9.

Cubs 20, Central College 21.

Cubs 20, Palmer College 21.

Cubs 20, Barnard Blizzards 21.

Cubs 50, American Legion 16.

Cubs 22, Pickering 34.

Three New Members Installed in Council

Member at Large and One from Junior Class to Be Elected—New Members Installed are Nicholson, Rising and Ethel Kaufman.

Three new members of the Student Council were installed Thursday night at the regular meeting of the Council and the ballots cast in the primary to elect a member to succeed Lloyd DeMoss, representative from the student body at large, were counted. The three new members are David Nicholson, Philo, Ethel Kaufman, Excelsior, and Clarence Rising, Eureka.

The "green" ticket candidates were successful in Thursday's primary. The following were the seven highest: Grace Foster, 286; Forrest Smith, 283; Lorene Bruckner, 242; Laveta Epper-son, 236; Russel Hamilton, 222; Julia Caldwell, 210. These names will be submitted to the Student Welfare Committee and five of them returned to be voted upon at the general election to be held Thursday of this week.

A vacancy on the Council has been created in the junior class representation as Robert Nicholas, the junior representative, will not be in school this quarter. This vacancy will be filled by the junior class at its regular meeting.

Two matters of importance were brought before the Council Thursday night. The first pertained to the proposed organization of a tennis club. The secretary of the Council was instructed to write to the sponsors of this club the following Council ruling concerning organizations: "Any group of students desiring to organize any school society must present in writing to the Student Council a statement setting forth the reasons for such an organization. If approved by the Student Council the request shall be presented to the Student Welfare Committee and then to the Faculty for approval." It was the opinion of the Council that those students sponsoring the proposed tennis club represented the different schools entered in the tournament.

Benton, St. Joseph; V. Utz, L. Whittle, P. Shune, L. Reed, L. Deming, E. Reno, V. Guisbert, T. Buck, R. Scott.

Barnard: B. Bare, B. Daniels, R. Russo, M. Hazelwood, R. Cole, R. Gilbert, B. Gilbert, R. Cook.

Cameron: C. Silius, M. Auten, M. Frost, F. Stubblefield, M. Jackson, F. Segerwood, F. DaPey, D. Bangs.

Bethany: V. Graham, B. Lingle, L. Burgin, N. Neff, B. Dillard, M. Black, D. Joyce, A. Burgin.

Burlington Junction: W. Jones, M. Yates, W. Staples, E. Graves, G. Trusty, V. VanAusdall, E. Johnson, E. Jones, A. Jones.

Chillicothe: M. Holmes, R. Anderson, V. Ronch, J. Lilly, V. Clayton, M. Kessler, M. Casar, V. Wheeler, D. Eastwood.

Coffey: B. Pugh, M. Weldon, I. Glaze, B. Harrington, G. Githens, E. Tyler, M. Yarborough, D. Martin, F. Gotschall.

Guildford: S. Davis, M. Curnutt, E. Reynolds, D. Ellis, G. Davis, A. Goy-such, F. Terrance, W. Hobson.

Grove: P. Grier, I. Card, P. Page, H. Ridge, M. Lee, I. Hawking, F. Moore, A. Allier, A. Putt.

Holmo: J. Abbott, B. Ferguson, P. Eileen Newland, Trenton.

Students to Appear in Graduate Recitals

The public is invited to attend the assembly program on Wednesday morning, March 25, at ten o'clock, when Ruth Houchens, a student of the conservatory of music will give her senior recital in piano. Miss Houchens is a pupil of Mr. T. H. Annett. She not only graduates in piano this spring, but also receives the A. B. degree from the college. The following program will be given:

Grieg—Sonata in E Minor, Opus 7, First Movement.

Scott—Valse Caprice.

Chopin—Concerto in E Minor, Opus 11, Fourth Movement.

Orchestral part by Mr. Annett.

On Wednesday morning, April 1, Mr. Annett will present Gertrude Beld in a graduating recital in piano at the assembly hour, and on April 15, Marie Cloud, pupil of Mr. Luther Rehman, will give her senior voice recital during the assembly period.

ON TEACHING.

If all of teaching were but the dull giving

forth again of words from the dead past;

Were stripped bare of association with the living;

Meant merely formulae, dry lines, thoughts clasped

With former ways of life now left behind

On the straight high road leading ever on

To those far open spaces where the mind

Sees Life and Education as but one;

Then were full half its savor gone.

To teach

Is first to know that daily one has part

In building-up of personality,

Helping it forward, step by step, to reach

Full growth, and gain the understand-

ing heart.—

Such teaching has strength and real-

ity.—Katherine Merrill.

Illustrated Lecture Fills Assembly Hour

Mr. C. A. Abbott, secretary of the Webster Chamber of Commerce, gave an illustrated lecture on "Bird Life in the United States" at assembly, Wednesday morning.

Mr. Abbott is a naturalist and has written books on "Wild Life in America." He also makes contributions to "Bird Lore."

In order to obtain slides of the various specimens of the bird family, Mr. Abbott has traveled in nearly every state in the union and has traveled extensively in Canada.

Proceeding the lecture the Rev. Mr. Snodgrass of the Christian Church led the assembly in the devotions.

Residence Hall accommodated 140 guests during the "girls" basket ball tournament.

Vesta Kivett visited her parents in Hopkins last week-end.

Merle Ford Tells of Work at Lebanon

Merle Ford, who finished work for the B. S. degree at the close of the fall quarter, is teaching in the high school at Lebanon, Missouri. Miss Ford has charge of the home economics department, teaching the Smith-Hughes work. Her class rooms are located in the beautiful new senior high school building. All the equipment is new, and Miss Ford writes that it is a joy to teach in such a building. Besides sponsoring a Home Economics Club, she has also the duties of junior class adviser and is now hard at work coaching the junior play.

Miss Ford has already taken several trips into the country surrounding Lebanon and has seen some of the lovely scenery and show places of the Ozarks. Lebanon is in the heart of the Ozark region and is the scene of Harold Bell Wright's book, "The Calling of Dan Matthews."

High Schools Appreciate Courier.

Since last fall when the Green and White Courier was enlarged to a full-sized newspaper and made a weekly instead of a bi-monthly publication, the manager and editors have received many letters of appreciation and encouragement from alumni and teachers over the district.

They are always glad to receive these and to print them whenever space limitations permit. To know that one's efforts are appreciated always seems to make the world look a little brighter.

Following is a letter received from Superintendent Harpman of Canning.

"This is to express to you our sincere thanks for The Green and White. It is a source of joy to our students and faculty. It helps us tie up with the educational Headquarters of Northwest Missouri. May the Green and White grow bigger and better is our wish."

Annual Track Meet Will Be April 24-25

Medley Relay Will Be New Event in Boys' Meet—Hurdles and Distance Throwing of Baseball and Basket Ball Added for Girls.

The annual track meet for the high school boys and girls of Northwest Missouri will be held at S. T. C. April 24-25. All high schools of the district may enter contestants. The meet makes provisions for two classes. Competition from schools with an enrollment of 126 or more will be entered in Class A, while those from schools with an enrollment of less than 126 will be entered in Class B.

The committee in charge has announced the following events for the boys' meet:

100-yard dash,

High jump,

220-yard dash,

220-yard high hurdles,

Broad jump,

440-yard dash,

Shot-put,

Pole vault,

880-yard run,

Discus,

220-yard low hurdles,

Javelin,

Medley relay,

Half-mile relay.

The girls will participate in the following events:

60-yard dash,

Baseball throw,

75-yard dash,

High jump,

Shuttle relay,

Basket ball distance throw,

Low hurdles,

Running broad jump,

220-yard relay.

Gold and silver medals and ribbons will be awarded for first, second, and third, respectively, in each class. A trophy cup will be awarded the winning team in each class.

The following records, which have been established at former district meets, have been collected for the information of the high school students who are interested in track.

100-yard dash—10 1-5 seconds,

Pole vault—10 feet, 9 1-4 inches,

Shot put—42 feet, 1 1/2 inches,

120-yard high hurdles—17 seconds,

Discus throw—114 feet, 2 inches,

Running high jump—5 feet, 9 in.

220-yard low hurdles—26 1-5 sec.

Running broad jump—21 ft, 9 1/2 in.

440-yard dash—54 2-5 seconds,

Half-mile relay—1 minute, 38 3-5 seconds.

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COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws, and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will strive unceasingly to quicken the students' sense of duty. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

MORE LATIN MEANS

GREATER SUPERIORITY
The records of 10,000 candidates for college entrance, made in the 10-year period 1914-1923, inclusive, show that the Latin students do better by about 13 per cent than the non-Latin students in all subjects outside of Latin and Greek, and in general the greater the amount of Latin studied the greater the superiority. Three tests made to determine the reason for their superiority indicated that of the 13 per cent about 2 per cent or 3 per cent was due to initial ability and 11 per cent or 10 per cent to something in the study of Latin. The advocates of formal discipline seem to have been right about the disciplinary values of Latin.

This report of the Classical League will undoubtedly be a classic in educational investigations. The care, thoroughness, and impartiality with which it has been carried on, the spirit of scientific inquiry which has animated it, and the moderation and reasonableness with which the conclusions have been drawn, all command it as a remarkable project. The findings will come as a surprise to many who have thought that the classical languages are fast disappearing and should disappear from our schools. The study of Greek is disappearing, but to find more students of Latin than of all other foreign languages combined giving more hours a day to Latin than any other high school subject does not argue any decrease in vital interest in the classics. Neither can one safely say that the subject which attracts the pupils of higher initial ability and the study of which gives them something that greatly increases their superiority should be dropped from the curriculum. The proponents of a study of the classics are in a stronger position now than they have been for many years.—From "School Life."

BE YOURSELF.

It seems to me that it is a fatal mistake to copy another's method, just because he has succeeded with it. People who merely imitate others remind me of flying fishes. Their flying doesn't amount to much, compared with that of birds they imitate. I'd rather be a success as a fish than a failure as a fish trying to be a bird—Eva Le Gallo, in American Magazine.

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Department Notes

FINE ARTS.

Miss. DeLuce will lecture to her class in Household Furnishing and Design on "Historic Styles in Art" at the nine o'clock period each morning this week in room 401. Anyone interested is invited to attend these lectures.

Classes in the Fine Arts Department are unusually large this quarter. Students in Household Furnishing and Design have begun the designing of good furniture. They are getting the proportions and making simple designs for chairs, table, and buffet.

Mary Barnes, Mary Curnutt, Mayme Greene, Albert Hamilton, Ruth Mimick, Bliss Minshall, Lou Mutz, Esther Neal, Zelma Neal and Charlyne Qualls are doing practice teaching in art in the public schools of Maryville this quarter.

COMMERCIAL.

Students of Mr. Rogers' penmanship class for the winter quarter won not only their certificates, but also the records for speed. LaVerne Patterson wrote a one-page specimen at the beginning of the term in 5 minutes and 45 seconds and wrote the specimen three months later, legible and accurate, in 3 minutes and 30 seconds; Ida Field lowered a record of 5 minutes and 30 seconds to 3 minutes and 40 seconds; and John Hathaway, who wrote in the beginning at the rate of 6 minutes and 15 seconds, wrote the same specimen in 4 minutes and 40 seconds on the final test.

Teachers' Penmanship Certificates were received by Muriel M. Alexander, Jeannie Blacklock, Cecil F. Brown, Julia Caldwell, Loren T. Carter, Golda Danner, Ruth Mary Decker, Greta Ecke, Ida Field, LaVon Gubser, Pauline Greeley, John Hathaway, Nora Kelly, Vesta B. Kivett, Lucile LaMar, Lucy Frances Meyer, LaVerne Patterson, Georgia Poynter, Dorris Shuler, Duley Snyder, Ethel Stevenson, Elizabeth Sweet, Doyle E. Thomas, and Florence Walker.

The Students' Final Certificate was granted to Crystal Fleetwood, Joe A. Gex, Opal Guilkley, Elsa Hilsenbeck, Clarence Jenkins, and Verla McGinnis. The Improvement Certificate was granted to Grace Connor, Lovella Reece, Delman Roelofson, Claude Shaffer, Gladys E. Hornbuckle, and Nelle Swinehart.

Several students received medals and certificates of honor in the Commerce Department last month. Nellie Murphy, Jessamine Williams, and Cleo Holt were awarded the Remington Pin for typing at the rate of 50 words a minute. Mrs. Eunice Timmons, H. W. LeMaster and Dean Johnson made a record of 40 words a minute on the Underwood machine and received the Underwood Medal. Mildred Shihabar, Lena Ferguson and Lavella Reece were awarded the Underwood Certificate for typing at the rate of 30 words. Aita Argo and Nellie Murphy passed the Competent Test for February.

Lois Lawson passed the Shorthand Transcription Test with a record of 100 words a minute, Wavie McKee with a record of 80 words, and Alta Argo with a record of 60 words.

Teachers wishing to teach penmanship next year may gain some clever ideas from the penmanship budgets in the hall opposite the Book Store. The work is exhibited by the penmanship class taught by Mr. Rogers.

There are 29 students taking Business Correspondence, which is being offered for the first time this quarter.

MUSIC.

The music department of the college is offering courses in class lessons in band and orchestra instruments, called Instrumental Music 123 a-b-c. Students are given actual playing experience on band and orchestra instruments. The course is open to pupils specializing in the music supervisor's course. The school provides the instruments.

The modern idea of instrumental music being taught in class groups is carried out in this course. The same work is being done in a very large way in piano through the Dunming system, which was introduced into the school three years ago and which has been very successful.

READING AND SPEAKING.

The college debate squad, coached by Mr. Miller, is practicing daily. Teams have been matched for debate as follows: Richard Baker and Burdette Yeo, affirmative, will meet Springfield at Cape Girardeau; David Nicholson and Doy Carr, negative, will meet Peru at Peru, April 3; Melvin Rogers and Clarence Bush, negative, will meet Kirksville at Warrensburg. Leslie Holcomb and Fred Street were chosen for alternates.

A growing interest was shown for debate this year. There were 14 in the tryouts.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Mr. E. Daniels, reports that more

courses are in demand this quarter than last. A larger number are wanting to take wood turning than there is room for; the class now has a full schedule. Last the members of the class started studying the care of the lathes, and the holding of the tools; next week they will start making small articles such as potato masher and darning eggs.

A course in tool sharpening is offered this quarter, and the boys have started by sharpening tools used at home.

Oren Masters has just completed a laboratory cabinet for Mr. Leeson's department, and is now engaged in making a food cabinet for the training school.

ENGLISH.

The class in Appreciation of Literature, English 75, is new and was organized for those students specializing in other departments than English. Students are enrolled now from the Music, Home Economics, Commerce, and Art departments. At present they are studying lyrical poetry.

Miss Bowman's class in English Literature has more boys enrolled than girls. This is rather an unusual occurrence.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION.

Commencing with the opening of this quarter every man enrolled in S. T. C. will be required to participate in some form of athletics. This is in accordance with the new movement in education in the state which seeks to provide for the instruction of every college and high school student in physical education.

Besides the regular track practice and spring football, three physical education classes are offered, one at each period in the morning except the first. This gives every man, who does not report for track practice or football, an opportunity to enroll in one of these classes.

All kinds of athletics are given to the men in these classes, such as soccer, football, baseball, volleyball and other sports which can be carried on during the spring.

**Maryville Loses
To Cape Speakers**

Paul Stone, representing Maryville in oratory, and Mr. Botts, representing Springfield, lost to Mr. Aly of Cape Girardeau in the inter-collegiate oratorical contest held at Springfield last Friday evening. Mr. Aly also representing Cape Girardeau, in the extemporaneous contest, which was held in the afternoon, won over Ermil Coler of Maryville.

Dr. O. P. Dillingar, a member of the faculty of Pittsburg, Kansas College, Dr. J. W. Barley of the Rolla School of Mines, and L. M. Short of the University of Missouri acted as judges.

Mr. Miller reports that the crowd was large on Friday evening. The speakers were treated with the greatest courtesy. The winning school yelled for Maryville and Springfield when their speakers went on the stage. It is the opinion that Mr. Stone's oration was cut on thought. Mr. A. W. Vaughan, Head of the Department of Public Speaking at Cape Girardeau, declared it the best contest he had witnessed.

In the Capaha Arrow of March 10, Mr. Vaughan's comment, after reading copies of the orations to be delivered, was as follows: "The oration from Maryville, entitled, 'A Debt to Our Forefathers,' is slightly inclined to the old type of oratory. It is rather striking for effective phrase and noble sentiment."

Hazel Wright visited her family in Rosedale over the weekend.

**IF
SHOES COULD TALK**

There would be many a pair at the College and all over Nodaway County who would be shouting for joy at the new lease of life they had obtained at Shanks. And in a voice louder than the squeak of any new one they would tell you the economy they meant to their owners. Don't jilt your old shoes who have been so nice and easy to your feet—let them drink at our fountain of youth.

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Religious Organizations

Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. Gospel team of S. T. C. gave the following program at the Epworth League services of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Sunday evening, March 15.

Quartet—Irvin Gubser, Floyd Harvey, Arthur Elmore and Vernon Barrett.

Vocal Solo—Vernon Barrett.

Scripture Reading—Robert Birbeck.

Piano Solo—Thomas Lawrence.

Talk—Stephen Williams.

Talk—Melvin Rogers.

At the meeting of the Y. M. C. A., March 17, the following program was given:

Quartet, "My Anchor Holds" by Arthur Elmore, Floyd Harvey, Irving Gubser, and R. J. McClain. They were accompanied by Vernon Barrett.

Devotional Exercises—Led by George Newman.

Talk—"Brotherhood of Man" by the Rev. Mr. Snodgrass.

This topic, "The Brotherhood of Man," will be discussed at the following meeting held this month.

Y. W. C. A.

At the meeting of the Y. W. C. A. last Tuesday morning an unusually interesting program was given.

Miss Painter, of the English department, gave a constructive talk on "Rewards," Elizabeth Mills sang "Spirit of God," accompanied by Margaret Mills. Devotions were led by Nelle Swinehart.

NEWMAN CLUB.

Officers for the coming year were elected at the meeting of the Newman club, March 17. They are as follows: President, Carlos Yehle; vice-president, Nora Kelley; secretary, Nora Ryan; treasurer, Mae Sturm; reporter, Dorothy Rowley; and sergeant-at-arms, Lawrence Sherlock. Mae Sturm and Lawrence Sherlock were appointed as members of the program committee.

**Makes Study of
Consolidation**

A study of consolidated schools in the nineteen counties of the Maryville Teachers College District has been compiled by Elmer D. Harpham, of Corning.

The following summary is taken from a pamphlet he has published.

There are sixty-two consolidated schools in the Maryville Teachers College District. Of this number, forty-eight maintain first class high schools; seven maintain second class schools; five have third class schools; and two maintain no high school.

Nodaway and Holt are tied for first place in consolidation with Harrison and Ray close seconds. Clay is the only county without a consolidated school.

Skidmore has the largest valuation, which is \$3,350,500. The smallest valuation is \$750,000, which is at Canden Point. The highest levy is \$1.30 at Mt. Moriah. The largest district in area is Central in Ray County with an area of 45 square miles, the smallest is Edgerton with 14 square miles.

The largest enrollment is Sheridan with an enrollment of 97 pupils. Seventeen of these schools have some form of transportation.

Fannie Blacklock, a former student of S. T. C., but now a teacher in the Westboro school, spent March 14-15 with her sister, Jeannie, who attends S. T. C.

High School Notes

MARYVILLE

Miss Edwyna Forsyth, of the Maryville High School, won first place in the district oratorical contest at the high school building, Monday, March 16. The contest was sponsored by the Kansas City Star and various other newspapers.

Miss Forsyth competes next at Springfield.

BURLINGTON JUNCTION

The basket ball team of Burlington Junction will go to Columbia for the State Tournament to be held this spring.

ROCK PORT

The Rock Port High School orchestra and Glee Club broadcasted an interesting program from Henry Field's station, K. F. N. F., Saturday evening, March 7.

WESTBORO

The Alumni Association of the Westboro High School will have their annual banquet Friday evening, May 15, in the gymnasium of the high school. A good program is being prepared for this year. Miss Katherine Johnston is president of the alumni association.

TRENTON

Katherine Hulen of the Trenton High School, won second place in the district oratorical contest, which was held at St. Joseph Monday, March 16. Her subject was "The Constitution."

HARMONY

The freshman and sophomore classes of the Harmony High School presented the four-act comedy "SevenTeen" at the Harmony Church Wednesday night, March 18. Yehle's orchestra of Maryville furnished music at the play.

PI OMEGA PI

Pi Omega Pi, honorary commercial fraternity, held its first meeting of the quarter last Thursday with the new officers in charge. At the close of the winter quarter, the following officers were chosen: Grace Dietz, president; Cloys Appleby, vice president; Ethel Mae Gibson, secretary and treasurer; and Cleo Holt historian.

Miss Margaret Kerr, a former student of S. T. C., teaching in the Barnard schools this winter, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Howard, March 16-17.

STUDENTS

For vacation-traveling position. Give age and full details in letter.

William Hughes,
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Spring Football Has Started

Spring football practice is underway. Each evening under the direction of Coach Jones, assisted by Captain-elect Sam England, about 25 men "work out" on the athletic field. It reminds one of the days last fall when each afternoon after 3:20 the Bearcats could be seen out on the old S. T. C. gridiron "doing their stuff."

The spring football practice, for which 1.25 hours credit is given, serves both as a physical education class and as a training school where in the material for the fall football team is whipped into shape.

Following are the names of the men who have reported: Euel M. Ramsey, Stewart B. Tulloch, "Ikey" Eads, Vodre Willoughby, Basil Frazer, John Hathaway, George McCurry, Orville Sutterlin, Roy Ruth, Gordon Fowler, Wilbur Cox, Paul Stone, W. H. Moenman, Eugene Wilson, Arthur Hartman, Robert Ruhl, Morris H. Chick, Howell England, Harry Nelson, Theodore Baldwin, Harold B. Miller, Forrest Smith, Howard Dennis, Carl Wyman, and Joe Prater.

Mildred Gartin visited her sister Lethel in St. Joseph this weekend. She saw "Able's Irish Rose" while there.

Ruth Barnes and Ethel Kaufman visited their parents in Parnell over the weekend.

Pauline Greely visited her parents in Gravity, Iowa, last weekend.

Mr. Miller has received calls from Blythedale, Catonsville, Fairfax, Portage, Guilford, Mirabile, and Oregon for commencement addresses to be delivered May 16. He will go to Catonsville, having promised them earlier in the year. However, others have changed their dates to May 16, 17, and 20 to correspond with Mr. Miller's schedule.

On May 18, Mr. Miller will deliver the commencement address at Pickering.

Major Rolf Raynor, a special student in S.T.C., was chosen as chairman of a campaign to be held in Nodaway County for the securing of a number of men to enter the Citizens' Army Training Camp at Des Moines, Iowa, August 1-31.

On Friday and Saturday nights of last week, March 20 and 21, the College presented the picture, "Baby Peggy in 'Captain January.'

According to a letter from a student at William Woods College, four girls from there will be enrolled at S. T. C. this summer.

Miss Fisher, who has been absent on account of illness for several days, came back to school Monday.

Helen Gomel and Gladys Painter spent the weekend at their homes near Mound City.

Birdie Bessinger, B. S. 1924, has returned to her home in Stanberry last week.

Thelma Hodgin visited with her parents in Oregon over the weekend.

Miss Laveta McClanahan and Miss Ruth Bass appeared on the St. Patrick's program given at the Twentieth Century Club, March 17, at the Elks Club. Miss McClanahan read "The Prince of Court Painters" by Constance D'Arcy Mackay. Miss Bass gave an Irish Folk Dance and the Clog.

Ruth Cline, B. S. 1924, instructor in Physical Training, in the Cameron High School came to Maryville, Friday with the Cameron girls' basketball team. Miss Cline reports that she has enjoyed her work at Cameron very much.

Some H. S. boys are doing repair work for the college. A chair for the Dean, and several typewriting tables have already been repaired.

Laura Margaret Raines is teaching French at the Maryville High School in the absence of Ruth Bookman, French instructor.

Gloia Eckels visited over the weekend at her home in Graham.

"In All Fairness"

Hear what Edward W. Cochrane, sports editor of the Kansas City Journal-Post, has to say of the coaching staff at the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College:

One more Missouri institution has been put on the athletic map by the very thing that has put most of the institutions on it—the employment of competent athletic directors and coaches. We refer here to Maryville State Teachers College at Maryville, Mo., where H. Frank Lawrence, known to his friends as "Shorty," is director of Athletics and Paul ("Pete") Jones is his assistant.

H. Frank Lawrence went to Maryville in September, 1923. Since he has been there he has turned out a winner in football, basketball, and track—not all champions, but winners—terms that command the respect of rival aggregations.

Before Lawrence went to Maryville that team did little in football and not as much as it should in other sports. He has worked hard to per-

fect winning machines and his success in all sports have been remarkable.

Lawrence learned football, track and basketball under Earl A. "Lettie" Davis, when the latter was athletic director at Missouri Wesleyan College, Cameron, Mo., an institution that has a habit of turning out winning teams in all branches of sport. He was a star athlete there. After leaving Wesleyan he coached a couple of years and then went to Maryville. He says he is going to have a splendid track team this year and has entered men in the Duke relays. His team may also compete in the Kansas relays.

Paul R. ("Pete") Jones went to Maryville from Argentine High School where he made an enviable reputation as coach in four sports—football, basketball, track and baseball. He assists Lawrence in each of them now.

Not so many years ago the University of Kansas had Jones. Then he was guard on the football team and his splendid playing won him an all-valley berth on several teams. He was a stone wall on defense. It was never safe to hit his side of the line. Opposing teams soon found this out and avoided that spot. Jones is a giant in size but for one of his weight and inches he is fast.

Last fall one of the strong points of Maryville's football team was the line. It held. What gains opposing teams made were not made through the line, unless regulars were hurt and it became necessary to put in substitutes. Jones worked with that line all year and his efforts had much to do with the success of the team.

Maryville has a splendid combination in Lawrence and Jones to handle its athletics.

A school has been organized for cheer leaders at the University of Iowa, under the direction of the department of speech and physical education.

At the University of Vermont and at the Virginia University "cuts" allowed are based on scholastic standing. Students with an "E" standing are permitted to be absent from classes often than those with inferior standing.

Founder's Day was recently celebrated at the University of North Dakota. Sunday, February 22, marked the forty-second anniversary of the establishment of the University.

Dollye Frogge, a former student, who is now teaching in St. Joseph, was in Maryville, March 12, with two of her students who were attending the spelling contest.

Lowell Livengood, B. S. 1920, and Mrs. Livengood were at the College, Friday. Mr. Livengood coaches the Elmo girls basketball team.

Pearl and Elsie Dilly drove to Parsonsburg, Friday evening, March 20, to spend the weekend with their parents.

Gladys Brown was called to her home in Skidmore last week because of the death of her mother.

The Missouri University Glee Club recently won third in the ninth Intercollegiate Glee Club contest at New York. Yale repeated its victory of last year, and carried off highest honors. Fourteen clubs participated.

Georgia Poynter visited from Friday until Sunday with her parents in Bigelow.

Earl Jones is engaged in making bird houses for Mrs. Cal Pierce.

Wanda Hawkins is confined to her home at Gault because of illness.

Mary Riggs of Residence Hall was ill last week.

EMPIRE THEATRE

THIS WEEK PRESENTS

MONDAY and TUESDAY
GLEN HUNTER AND BESSIE LOVE

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Also a Comedy

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
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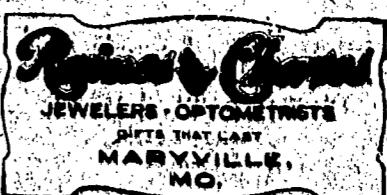
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The Stroller

By ? ? ? ?

The Stroller has discovered, that there are "Krabz" at other Colleges besides S. T. C. This week he has taken a flying trip to several institutions in the West for the express purpose of bringing back funny stories for the students of S. T. C. who have been crabbing about the noticeable lack of humor in the Stroller's weekly remarks.

At the Northern State Teachers College, Aberdeen, South Dakota, she got hold of these remarkable "Krabz," which somehow have a familiar ring:

"Krab 1. Mr. L's secretary wishes they would require spelling as a prerequisite for budding journalists."—What about Miss Dykes' secretary?

"Krab 2. One thing about basketball season being over is that the boys haven't got any excuse to offer for failure to have their lessons."—A la Mme. Terhune, n'est-ce pas?

"Krab 3. If giving up going to dances with men is a suitable sacrifice for Lent, then I'm living in a continual Lent!"—Despairing senior at S. T. C. Who can guess?

And that reminds the Stroller of a bit of fun he picked up at the Nebraska State Teachers College at Kearney, as he was journeying towards home. It runs like this, in the fashion of free verse.

"Two things keep me from dancing perfectly."

"What are they?"

"My feet."

Perhaps this explains the reason for despair of the above unhappy senior.

The Stroller has been disappointed for the last two or three weeks in the absence of a cross-word puzzle. She is afraid that the editor of the Green and White has already found out what happened to a poor student at Kearney, and will therefore refuse to give any more space to the puzzles. He thought he would keep the news quiet and trust to his strong eyes but since the Courier has insisted on taking away her greatest joy, she will tell the world what he heard about the distressing accident just referred to:

"How'd you get so cross-eyed?"

"Working cross-word puzzles. One eye looks horizontal and the other vertical."

Speaking of eyes, the Stroller is reminded of a new kind of treatment about which she learned at the College of Idaho, Caldwell, Idaho. She nearly forgot about her short visit at this place, having flown there from South Dakota. The following will explain to students of S. T. C. all that they need to know about it:

Son: "Dad, I must go to New York and get my eyes treated."

Dad: "All right, my boy, here's a ticket to the Follies!"

The Stroller wonders if this treatment was effective in the recent exhibition of the Follies given at the St. Patrick's Carnival!

He found out that the students of the College of Idaho have an "Aunt Peggy" to whom they take all their troubles in love affairs. "Aunt Peggy" in turn gives advice. The Stroller thinks S. T. C. needs an Aunt Peggy to settle similar affairs, so that there would not be so much discussion about them in the library when he wants to study. Recently he sat across the table from "John and Mary" and had to listen ("Twas absolutely unavoidable)

able!) to their arguments for a whole period. When the bell rang and he had to go to a sociology class, his brain was a confused mass of facts, whether of loveology or sociology, it is hard to say.

At Kearney the Stroller had an accident with his aeroplane and had to leave it for repairs. He hopes he can get it by next week so that he can make further explorations.

Literary Society Notes

EUREKAN NOTES

At the meeting of the Eurekan Literary Society last Thursday afternoon "St. Patrick's Day was observed. The roll call was answered with Irish jokes.

An Irish reading was given by Irene Goff, Kathleen Gray sang Irish songs.

Clarence Rising was elected a member of the Student Council.

EXCELSIOR NOTES

Eighteen members and visitors were present at the Excelsior Literary Society last Thursday to enjoy the "Coonville Revival" under the leadership of Cananum Findley.

The program committee is arranging good live programs in the hope of preventing the slump in attendance and interest which frequently occurs after the stress of the inter-society contests. The literary society is a practice school where lessons in cooperation and literary work are planned and executed. Students interested in self-improvement are invited to join their efforts with the Excelsiors for their own good and the honor of the college.

Elveth Kaufman was chosen to represent the Excelsiors on the Student Council. Zone Hoyt was chosen as alternate.

Paul Stone was absent on account of having gone to Springfield to represent the college in the oratorical contest.

PHILOMATHIAN NOTES

The Philomathians gave a clever "St. Pat" program at their regular meeting last Thursday afternoon.

Following is a summary of the program.

Talk, "St. Patrick's Day" by Helen Nail; Solo, Elizabeth Mills; talk, "Irish Music, Art, and Literature" by Oma Ross.

Preceding the program each one answered the roll call with an Irish joke.

Children's Chorus To Sing Classics

The Children's Chorus from the Maryville public schools will assist the Conservatory faculty in concert on Sunday evening, May 3. This is the second appearance of the Children's Chorus. They are working hard to make this program a greater success than last year.

It is interesting to know that the children of the grade schools are permitted to sing some of the great classics in vocal music. It will be understood that in many cases their flexible voices can interpret the great works with greater skill than can the mature voices. On the program which appears below will be noted selections from two of Mendelssohn's great oratorios. The other numbers consist of unison and part art-songs with the rendition of the beautiful hymn, "Abide With Me" in three parts. The children are taking great interest in this program and it is clearly seen

that children of this age find greater enjoyment in the noted classics than they do in the lighter class of music.

The selections which the Children's Chorus will give on the program are as follows:

"Morning Song" — Tosti.

"Salting Song" — Lehar.

"Vesper Hymn" — Russian Air.

"The Sun, Worshippers" — Zunt.

"Melody" — Antiphonal Chorus.

"When the Shaddeers Spread Around" — Dvorak. With Soprano and Viola Obligato.

"Abide With Me" — Monk.

"But the Lord is Mindful of His Own" (St. Paul) — Mendelssohn.

"If With All Your Hearts" (Elijah) — Mendelssohn.

About Former Kitty Cat

Lola McNeel, former captain of the Kittycats, is the subject of an article in the Gallatin Democrat of March 19. In part, the article follows:

"Miss Lola McNeel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McNeel, who live between Gallatin and Jameson, has perhaps made the greatest record of any girl from this county, (Daviess) in the line of athletics. She received her letter and certificate last summer but has modestly said nothing about it until her parents 'gave her away' this week."

"Miss McNeel, now teaching physical education at Rockport, Mo., was a member of the Jameson High School before going to the State Teachers College at Maryville. At the latter school she played for two years on the famous girls' basketball team, 'The Kittycats,' which in the last four years has not lost a game. Miss McNeel was captain of the team during her senior year at Maryville, and is the only Daviess County girl who has ever played on the team."

"While at the State Teachers College she was also vice-president of Minni-chee-ock, the girls' athletic association, was leader of the Hiking Club, and a member of the Riding Club."

College Loses Money On Tournaments

In checking up the Boys' Basket-

Ball Tournament, held on March 13 and 14, it was found that, despite the fact that weather and road conditions made the receipts \$170 less than they were last year and that a larger number of entries made the expenses about \$70 more than they were a year ago, the net profit realized from the tournament was \$10.94. The spelling contest on Thursday, March 12, cost the College \$9.40, so that on the three days of high school contests, a net profit of \$9.60 was made.

On the other hand, the college paid the expenses of the victorious Pickers team when they went to Springfield to compete in the State tournament last week. This amounted to about \$250, toward which the \$9.60 profit would not go far.

It is interesting to know these facts, since they show that there is always a loss in actual cash to the college resulting from these tournaments; when it seems to observes that the college must be making considerable

money on them. This loss, however, is not regretted, for the college gains instructor in the music department of the college, who is now director of the voice and public school music department at Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, Oklahoma, will attend the National Music Supervisors' Convention at Kansas City, March 30-April 3. Miss James has recently made a tour of Oklahoma with the Girls' Glee Club, which is under her direction:

Dr. Fred Keller of S. T. C. will deliver an address on "Community Spirit" at the regular meeting of the Ravenwood P. T. A. meeting on Thursday evening, March 26.

Lulu Jones spent the week end at her home near Fairfax.

Harold Bell Wright's story, "The Mine With the Iron Door," as produced for the screen, will be shown on Friday and Saturday nights, April 3 and 4, at the College.

Mrs. D. G. Andrews of Higbee, Missouri, came Sunday evening to visit with her daughter, Miss Gladys Andrews, who is still in the St. Francis Hospital.

Miss Bass' three dancing classes, beginners, intermediates, and advanced, will meet every Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings of each week.

Mr. C. C. Leeson has started breaking ground for his new home.

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MARCH 25 AND 26

MARJORIE DOW, LOU TELLEGEN, DAYMAR GODOWSKY in "GREATER THAN MARRIAGE."

Based on the Novel "Joan Thursday" by Louis Joseph Vance. Also Aesop's Fables, "Amelia Came Back."

FRIDAY, MARCH 27.

RICHARD TALMADGE in "AMERICAN MANNERS."

Also International News.

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

RALPH LEWIS in "UNTAMED YOUTH," from the play "BORN OF THE CYCLONE" by Marion Burton. Also two reel western. "The Whip-hand."

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